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PROGNOSTICATION

For the Year of our LORD, 1759.

Being the third year after Biſſextile or Leap-year, and from the Creation according to holy Writ, 5761, but according to the beſt of prophane Hiſtory, 5718.

Together with the riſing and ſetting of the SUN, the [illegible] and changes of the MOON, the ECLIPSES, and diſpoſition of the WEATHER; and the [illegible] known FAIRS in SCOTLAND.

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[illegible] of Prediction by Star-gazing at
TAMTALLAN.

[illegible] year 1759.

[illegible]	5762
[illegible]	4108
[illegible]	2043
[illegible]	2480
[illegible] into Albio	2165
The building of Edinburgh castle	2089
The birth of our Saviour	1759
The christian faith was first received into Scotland	1549
The extirpation of the Picts out of Scotland	852
The building of the high church of Glasgow	618
The invention of printing	418
The first use of guns	380
The beginning of the reign of king Rober the Bruce	356
His defeating 130,000 English at Banockburn	366
The time that Martin Luther detected popery	253
The black Saturday	213
Establishing the reformed religion in Scotland	199
The time that tobacco came first into England	176
The birth of K. Charles the I.	161
The union of the thistle and the rose	155
The gun powder treason	136
Duke Hamelton's engagement	111
The dark Monday.	101
The battle of Pentland hills	94
The battle of Bothwel bridge	80
Cromwel died	78
King Charles the II. died	74
King James the VII. proclaimed	72
King William and queen Mary proclaimed	70
The battle of Killicrankie and Dunkeld	71
King William died, queen Anne proclaimed	57
The union of Scotland and England	53
The proclamation of King George the I.	46
The battle of Sherriffmuir and Preston	44
The proclamation of King George the II.	32
The windy Saturday	20
The battle of Preston-pans	14
The battle of Falkirk and Culloden	13
Alteration of the stile from the Julian to the Gregorian	6
The taking of Cape Breton from the French	7

Common and vulgar notes for the year 1759.

Dominical letter	G	Faſterns even,	Feb. 27
Cycle of the ſun	4	Shrove ſunday	Feb 25
The Prime	12	Eaſter ſunday	April 15
The Epact	1	Whitſunday	June 3

Three eclipſes this year, one of the moon and two of the ſun.

The firſt is of the moon, Jan. 13, ſets eclipſed. The ſecond is of the ſun, Jan. 24 inviſible. The third is of the ſun, Dec. 19, inviſible.

Of the four quarters of the year.

The ſpring quarter begins March 19 at three afternoon, day and night then equal.

The ſummer quarter begins June 21ſt, at three afternoon, being the longeſt day and ſhorteſt night.

The harveſt quarter begins September 23d, at 6 in the morning, day and night then equal.

The winter quarter begins December 21ſt, at 9 at niget being then the ſhorteſt day and longeſt night.

The four termely quarters of the year.

The 1ſt termely quarter begins Feb. 13 called Candlemaſs. The 2d quarter begins May 12, though the vulgar reckons from May 14, called Rood-day. The 3d quarter begins Auguſt 12th called Lambeſs-day. The 4th and laſt quarter begins Nov. 12 called Hallow-day.

JANUARY begint on Monday, hath xxxi. days, Sun riſes at 8, ſets at 4, day 8, night 16 hours. Firſt quarter of the moon 6 day at 2 morn. full moon 13, at 7 morn. Laſt quarter 12 day, at 11 forenoon. New moon 28, day at 8 at night.

Froſt and ſnow to the 5, wind and rain to the 15 variable weather to the end.

Kilſyth the 1ſt day, old-meldrum 2d tueſ. at laurance kirk 17, at kirkton of ſtroun in athol 9, St. muggow's, at glaſgow and Polwart 18 day.

FEBRUARY begins on thurſday, hath xxviii. days, ſun riſes at 7, ſets at 5, day 10, night 14 h. long. Firſt quarter 4 day at 12 afternoon. Fullmoon 12 day at 1 morn. Laſt quarter 20 day at 6 morn. New moon 27 day at 5 morn.

Froſt to the 6, ſome wind and rain to the end.

Inverneſs the 1ſt, banff, dunkeld, dingwal in douglaſs 12, tarry in buchan 1ſt tueſ. after candlemaſs, at coupar in fiſe, the firſt wed. at tarves the 2d tueſ. valentines day being ſtill the 14, at Lanark, moulen in athol, Linlithgow, and ſerfar the 15, at redcaſtle in roſshire the 22d, at valefield the 24th, brichen the 25 day.

MARCH begins on thurſday, hath xxxi. days. Firſt quarter 5 day at 10 at night. Full moon 13 day at 7 afternoon. Laſt quarter 21 day at 10 at night. New moon 28 day, 4 aſternoon.

Raw froſt to the 4, variable to the 20, pleaſant to the end

Dunſermline, aberſheder, St. marnock and ſtravan the 1ſt day, at Kennochy in fiſe, and pitenweem the 3d, St. marnoch, at kirk of Locheil. cluny, fetterletter, nairn, and tain the firſt tueſ. at inverneſs and auchtertuil the 12, at dunichren the 11, St patrick in dumbarton, kirkcaldy, blackſord the 15, at the kirk of migvie 16; St. cuthbert's fair in the merſe 20, at weſterweems, carnwath, auchtermuchty and dunkeld, 25. Kinroſs 3d wed. Banff, marnock kirk, oldrain, and auchendoor, 3d tueſ. Gordon's caſtle, turriff, raws of huntly laſt tueſ. and wed.

APRIL begins on ſunday hath xxx. days. Sun riſes at 5. ſets at 7, day 14, night 10, h. long. Firſt quarter 4th, day at 10 ſorenoon. Full moon 12 day at 1 afternoon. Laſt quarter 19 day at 9 ſorenoon. New moon 27 day at 1 morn.

Cold to the 7, variable to the 24, fair weather to the end.

Inverneſs 1ſt tueſ. coupar of fiſe 1ſt wed. at cruden 2 tueſ. auchterleſs 4 tueſ. tarves, Skirling, ſtrichen, and Balcora, on the laſt tueſ. and wed. Dyſert, foreigs 23d, Muſſel 25, Rutherglen 28, Liven 20, Kilreny 30.

MAY begins on tueſday hath xxxi. days. Sun riſeth at 4. ſets at 8, day 16, night 8 h. long. Firſt quarter 4 day at 2 morn. ſull moon 11 day at 5 morn. laſt quarter 19 day at 6 aſternoon. new moon [illegible] day at 5 morn.

Cold weather to the 4. warm with ſome ſhow[illegible]

Linlithgow, ſalkirk, kilpatrick the laſt day, at girven montroſe and elſon 1 tueſ. kinro[illegible] peebles, ſumuck kirk, chapel of dim. all on the 3d tueſ. middlethird of gattu[illegible] the 5th. at renfrew the 9th, at carluke and dryman 10, at pitleſlie 3 tueſ. at [illegible] and kirkaldy 15, at oldmel[illegible] rum and meiklendowie, the laſt tueſ. at dolphing[illegible] pathead in couper of fiſe laſt wednſday.

June begins on friday, hath xxx days. ſun riſes 40 min. after 3, ſets 20 min. after 8, day 17, night 7 h. long. firſt quarter 2d day at 3 afternoon. ſull moon 10 day at 11 at night, new moon 24 at 5 aſternoon.

Some ſhowers to the 11, warm weather to the end.

At Logyrait in athol, and carington the 1, at biggar, bannockburn, dundee kinroſs, douglas, Largs, and keith, all on the 1 tueſ. coltburgh, and Langnewton 5, at tillicodtyua and Skirling on the 1 wed. at dunkeld monefieth new deer in buchan, dryman, greenlaw in berwickſhire on the 2d tueſ. at bathgate and ſorgondeon the 10, at Lauder dyſart, douglaſs, greenock, preſtonpans and dirlton, all on the 11, palgerno 12, abernethey 23, ſlioch 2 tueſ. greenburn 2 thurſ. at turriff and ceres 14 auchtertuiel, clack[illegible] inverlethem, Lambington and ſcoon 15, at Langholm [illegible] ſtravan 16, at dunfermline and moffat 18, carlton [illegible] colrain 20, banff 3 tueſ. on the hill of megry 3d thurſ. [illegible] methſel 22. forres air, banff, mikleur, anſtruther, [illegible] and St. Johnſton all on the 23, carnwath 24. forfir fauk[illegible] and burntiſland 26, peebles, kelſo 29, at fraſerburgh [illegible] fribay.

July begins on ſunday, hath xxxi. days. day is [illegible] night 8 h. Firſt quarter 1ſt day at 10 morn. full [illegible] 9 day at 7 morn Laſt quarter 17 day at 3 morn. [illegible] moon 24 day at 5 morn.

Fair weather to the 18 ſome ſhowers to the end.

At biggar 5, St andrews and inverneſs 7, at [illegible] munday, bathgate and kinghorn 10 at ſorden [illegible] montroſe, old deer and brrowſtoneſs 2 thurſ. at [illegible]

[illegible] purton-
[illegible] ay
[illegible] mathel and
[illegible] roxburgh
[illegible] and ſhynet, and [illegible] kin-
cardin and Inverary la[illegible]

Auguſt begins on [illegible] days. Day is 14 night is to [illegible]. Firſt quarter [illegible] 3 morn. Full moon 8 day 4 afternoon. Laſt quarter 15 day at 9 morn. new moon 22 day at 4 afternoon. Firſt quarter 30 day at 8 at night.

Fair weather to the 20, ſome ſmall ſhowers to the end.

At turriff, melroſs, inverkeithing St andrews 1, blackburn preſton and elgin 1. tueſ. at kirkland, balcora, oldrain [illegible] and ſtrichen 2 tueſ. dundee and inverneſs 15, at [illegible] 22, at Linlithgow, clackmannan, peebles, [illegible], and kilybodie 24. at rawa huntly and tarves laſt tueſ. at galloway laſt friday.

September begins on ſaturday hath [illegible] days day and night equal. Full moon 7 day at 2 morn. Laſt quarter [illegible] 3 afternoon. New moon 21 day at 8 morn. Firſt quarter 29 day at 11 forenoon.

Some ſhowers to the 34, fine harveſt weather to the end.

At [illegible] 4, at keith, nairn, and tarves 2 tueſ. Inverneſs, dumfermline and Jedburgh 14 at forfar 15, Kirkaldy Stow and pitlochie 20, at biggar 3d wed. Linlithgow 23 at cuik, Dumfries and athelſton 27, Haddington, air, St. andrews, Kircudbright. Belligerno, Renfrew, Burgh of annan and kirkmichael 29, at fraſersburgh ſkains and banff, on the laſt tueſ. Druminthy laſt thurſ.

[illegible] begins on monday hath xxxi days, Day 10, [illegible]. Full moon 8 day at 10 morn. Laſt [illegible] day at [illegible] morn. [illegible] day at 1 morn, [illegible] morn.

[illegible] to the 20, ſome ſhowers to the end.

[illegible] Dundee, [illegible]

[illegible]nnoch, Turiff, midcalder, douglaſs, Logyrait, and Bannockburn, tayne, on the 1ſt tueſ. innerlethem 3d. abernethy, colinsburgh, Vallyfield at mickleour and [illegible] 8, St. Johnſton, Peebles, earlſton, Kirkintilloch, aiton, auchtermuchty, ceres in fiſe, Kilmahog and moffat the 9, Renithmonith, monifield, Kinkel. Elgin, 2d tueſ. drumhead 2d wed. Bathgate, dalkeith, Linkton and tillbol the 10, at elegham 11, invergeithing and Stravan 12, at ſen[illegible] 3d. Borrowſtounneſs, Muſſelburgh and Kinghorn 10, Lawder, Kinroſs, Corſtorphen, Carluke, Ormiſton, Town-Yetam and Muthel 19, Kilpatrick 21, Stirling and Lamington 22d, Gordon caſtle and parton craig laſt tueſ.

NOVEMBER begins on thurſday, hath xxx days. Full moon 4 day at 7 at night. Laſt quarter 11 day at 2 afternoon. New moon 19 day at 7 at night. Firſt quarter 27 day at 2 afternoon.

Froſt to the 11, variable weather to the end.

At Edinburgh, anſtruther, and Eaſter, holding 8 days, Fordyce, dumblain, Girvine, Jedburgh, innerwick, Dinnis at Methlick, and Peterhead, all on the 2d tueſ. at Lawark 2d wed. Kilwinning Greenock and Down 15, at Borrowſtounneſs, dunfermline and lawder the 6, at tain, and Kirk of Kowel 21, Burntiſland 22d, Stradown and Fraſersburgh 29, St. Johnſton and peebles the 30.

DECEMBER begins on ſaturday hath xxxi. days
Day ſeven night ſeventeen hours long.

Full moon 4 day at 6 morn. Laſt quarter 11 day at 9 morn. New moon 19 day at 2 afternoon. Firſt quarter 27 day at 12 at night.

Froſt and ſnew to the 15. variable weathor [illegible]

Fraſersburgh 1 tueſ. Renfrew 6, Dunkeld and [illegible] the 8, Ellon, Fraſersburgh, and Turiff all tueſ. at [illegible]neſs, Banff and tarves 3d tueſ. at monteith [illegible] and levenmouth 27, at [illegible]

A Catalogue of the principal Kings and Princes in Europe, with the year they were born and began to reign.

NAMES.	Born.	Began to reign.
[illegible] George King of Great Britain, &c.	[illegible]	1727
[illegible] George Prince of Wales	[illegible]	
Prince William Aug. Duke of Cumberland	[illegible]	
Maria Tereſa Empreſs, and Q. of Hungary	1717	1741
Lewis XV. K. of France	1710	[illegible]
Ferdinand VI. King of Spain	1713	[illegible]
Don Joseph King of Portugal	1714	1767
Frederick V. King of Denmark	1723	1741
Charles Frederick King of Pruſſia	1712	1740
Elizabeth, Empreſs of Ruſſia	1709	1741
Don Carlos, King of the two Sicilles	1716	1735
Adolphus Frederick King of Sweden	1710	1751
Mahomet Sultan of Turkey	1696	1730

A true tide table ſhewing you half flood, full ſea, half ebb and low water, every day of the month for ever.

Half Flood.		Full Sea.		Days of the Moon		Half Ebb.		Low Water.	
H.	M.	H.	M.	In	Dec.	H.	M.	H.	M.
11	18	2	13	1	16	5	18	8	18
12	6	3	8	2	17	6	6	9	6
12	45	2	54	3	18	6	45	9	45
1	42	4	42	4	19	7	42	10	42
2	10	5	30	5	20	8	36	11	20
3	18	6	8	6	21	9	18	12	10
4	6	7	6	7	22	10	6	1	0
4	54	7	54	8	23	10	54	5	10
5	42	8	42	9	24	11	42	2	54
6	30	9	30	10	25	12	30	3	3
7	18	18	18	11	26	1	17	4	10
8	6	11	6	12	27	2	6	5	4
8	54	11	54	13	28	2	54	5	42
9	42	12	45	14	29	5	42	6	54
10	30	1	30	15	30	4	30	7	30

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